CHAPTER 19 Plumbing (Rep. & recr. #28-88)

19.16 Drainlayer's Bond

- (1) Before engaging in drain laying and plumbing or receiving a permit to do such work, the person, except as permitted by §19.14, shall execute and deposit with the City Clerk a bond with 2 or more sureties or a corporate surety, to be approved by the Board of Public Works in the sum of \$5,000, conditioned that he will perform faithfully all work with due care and skill and in accordance with the law, rules and regulations governing the installations of plumbing. The bond shall state that the person will indemnify the City and save it harmless against all damages, costs and expenses, outlays and claims of every nature and kind arising out of unskillfulness or negligence on his part in connection with plumbing or drainage work.
- (2) Such bond shall remain in force for one year, except that on such expiration it shall remain in force as to all penalties, claims and demands that may have accrued thereunder prior to expiration, provided that if the sureties on such bond shall become insolvent or removed from this State, the Board of Public Works shall require a new bond before granting any further permits to such obliger.
- (3) Bonds taken out in other cities, villages and towns or bonds taken out under a group insurance plan may be made effective in the City upon written assurance by the legal representative of the insurance company to the Board of Public Works which shall include the name, address and business location of the insured and the date of expiration of the policy to the effect that the insurance liability will conform to and apply to the provisions of this section.
- (4) Bonds in compliance with the foregoing provisions shall be executed and filed on or before January 1 of each year and no license shall be in force in that year until such bond is so filed and executed.

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